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**CLAIMS LISTING -REVISED CLEAN VERSION**

Claim 1 (currently amended)

A pelting system comprising:

- a. a rigid planar sheet template having a plurality of oval hole-patterns between the sizes 17 x 20 inches, and 31 x 40 inches,
- 5 c. pointed nails,
- d. a method in which to gain the most trade value from a fur pelt by templating the optimal form desired by the fur industry,
- e. means to dry two pelts at once, utilizing one template.

10 Claim 2 (canceled)

Claim 3 (currently amended)

The pelting system of claim 1 wherein the rigid planar sheet template material are selected from any one of the following:

-plywood

15 -plastic

-metal.

Claim 4 (canceled)

**Claim 5 (currently amended)**

The pelting system of claims 1 or 4 wherein each of the plurality of perforations further comprise an intentional outward tilt between 4 and 7 degrees when regarded from rear to front of sheet.

**Claim 6 (original)**

5 The pelting system of claim 1 wherein the pointed nails are further sharpened so as to prevent further damage to pelt edge.

**Claim 7 (currently amended)**

The pelting system of claims 1, 4 or 5 wherein the perforations traverse the entire thickness of the rigid planar sheet material.

**10 Claim 8 (currently amended)**

The pelting system of claims 1, 4, 5 or 7 wherein said perforations have a diameter slightly greater than the outside diameter of the pointed nails.

**Claim 9 (currently amended)**

15 The pelting system of claim 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8 wherein use thereof is to increase the accuracy of pelt output shape for industry so as to provide the most efficient use of each pelt.

**Claim 10 (new) (to replace claim 4)**

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The pelting system of claim 1 wherein two pelts can be dried at once on a single pelting board of the present invention by way of attaching the second pelt to the series of nails already protruding the board.

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